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FOR THE SECRETARY

DEPT ALSO FOR UNDER SECY HABIB AND NEA ASST SECY ATHERTON

E.O. 11652: NGDS
TAGS: PFOR, XF, US
SUBJECT: PROPOSAL FOR VISIT OF HIGH LEVEL USG OFFICIAL TO GULF
PENINSULA AREA

1. DURING GULF/PENINSULA COM'S MEETING IN RIYADH ON FEB 20,
SECY AGREED THAT IT COULD BE BENEFICIAL TO US MID EAST POLICY,
ENERGY POLICY AND BILATERAL RELATIONS TO RAISE OUR INTEREST
QUOTIENT IN SMALLER STATES OF THIS AREA.

2. IN THIS CONTEXT IT WAS SUGGESTED THAT HIGH LEVEL
OFFICIAL
BE DISPATCHED TO VISIT COUNTRIES OF AREA IN NEAR FUTURE. NAMES
MENTIONED OF POSSIBLE SPECIAL ENVOYS INCLUDED THE VICE PRESIDENT,
TREASURY SECRETARY BLUMENTHAL, ENERGY COORDINATOR SCHLESINGER
AND UNDER SECY HABIB.
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4. I REALIZE THAT SCHEDULES OF PRINCIPALS OF DEPT AND NEW
ADMINISTRATION HEAVILY BURDENED WITH TRAVEL AND OTHER OBLIGAT-
IONS. HOWEVER, I BELIEVE POTENTIAL IMPORTANCE OF THIS AREA FOR
CRUCIAL MID EAST AND ENERGY PROBLEMS WARRANTS ATTENTION OF A
SPECIAL ENVOY IN PATTERN OF VICE PRESIDENT'S, SECRETARY'S,
CLARK CLIFFORD'S AND AMBASSADOR YOUNG'S RECENT TRAVELS.

4. I WOULD APPRECIATE DEPT'S COMMENT ON POSSIBILITY AND TIMING
OF SENDING SPECIAL ENVOY, AND OTHER ADDRESSEES' VIEWS ON VALUE
OF SUCH A MISSION.
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